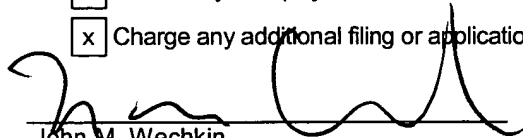




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<b>Art Unit</b> 3723					
Applicant(s): Taylor et al.					
Invention: METHODS FOR REMOVING DOPED SILICON MATERIAL FROM MICROFEATURE WORKPIECES					
<b>TO THE COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS</b>					
Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.					
The fee has been calculated and is transmitted as shown below.					
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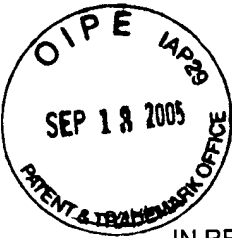


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**Amendment Under 37 C.F.R. § 1.111**

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Sir:

The present communication responds to the Office Action dated June 15, 2005  
in the above-identified application. Please amend the application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims beginning on  
page 2.